

NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

The Highway and Transportation Committee of the BCD met the other day with a representative of Tex-Pac Express, Inc. and it was announced that Hamlin is now being served with a daily delivery service by this firm.

This is a small package, fast express service that has long been needed in the state. This is particularly true here in Hamlin since we no longer have bus service to handle small packages.

This service will be a boon to those who need parts out of Abilene or Dallas.

The express service is limited to packages weighing less than 100 pounds so that it does not conflict with freight lines now in operation.

At the present time the service is just about limited to incoming packages as the firm does not operate a local office and can not be reached locally for pickup service. It is anticipated that if the service grows and the demand becomes great enough then there may be a local agent here.

We doubt that much would come of it, but we would like to see this same BCD committee look into the possibility of convincing the Oklahoma Transportation Co. that operates the bus line between Abilene and Wichita Falls to route their bus through Hamlin.

We are not sure how busses are running daily between these two points, but it would benefit Hamlin greatly if just one north and one south bus would come through here.

It would likely add 45 minutes to their run but between the passenger service and the express service we would think that it would prove profitable to the bus company.

If you have ever ridden a bus very far, you know that they run them off of a straight line much further than this would be.

It is quite a handicap to a town the size of Hamlin to be without any public transportation and it would seem to us that some pressure could be brought to bear at the state level.

We notice that the legislature is getting closer to passing a State Minimum Wage Law. We have mixed emotions about such a bill. While we are sure that there are many cases where workers are being underpaid, we are afraid that more people will be hurt than helped by such a law.

The state bill would bring the state minimum up to the level of the federal minimum wage in a couple of years. Since this would cover everybody, it would mean that every store or place of business would be paying \$1.60 an hour as a minimum.

Locally, we are afraid that a number of people would find themselves without a job because some types of businesses can just not afford this kind of a payroll cost. This is particularly true of part-time help.

We suspect that this will just bring on more self-service of at least less service. Those who keep their jobs will of course be better off if they get a raise out of the measure but for those who lose a job because of it will not be quite so pleased.

As with the federal minimum wage, the state bill makes no provision for training or for part-time help and does not take into consideration local economic factors.

With the local office closed on Saturday, motorists have only three days left in which to purchase their car, trailer or truck tags. The tags must be on the vehicles by Tuesday. The last report we had from Louie Cunningham was that only about half of the cars have been registered.

There is just a little over two weeks left to have your car inspected as this deadline is April 15.



MISS FHA AND FHA BEAU -- Beth Craig, FHA president, is assisted by Gil Lain in getting the FHA emblem displayed to promote FHA week. Gil was chosen by the FHA girls as this year's FHA Beau and Beth was selected Miss FHA.

ACC Dean, Dr. Humble, to Open Gospel Meeting Here Sunday

Dr. Bill J. Humble, a newly appointed dean of Abilene Christian College, will preach in a series of Gospel Meetings at the Hamlin Church of Christ Mar. 30-Apr. 4.

Douglas LeCroy, minister, invites the public to attend the meeting, adding that the lessons will be more meaningful if each person brings a Bible. He said that Dr. Humble has held several "Open Bible" meetings and that theme will be used in services here.

Dr. Humble is a 1948 graduate of ACC, obtaining the BA degree, summa cum laude. After earning the master of arts from the University of Colorado, he obtained the PhD degree in religion at the University of Iowa in 1964. He has served as minister of Churches of Christ in Kansas City, Mo., Louisville, Ky., and Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He is presently minister of the Woodlawn Church of Christ in Abilene, in addition to his college responsibilities.

The visiting preacher served on the Bible faculty of Florida Christian College from 1949 through 1953. He was named to the Bible faculty of ACC in 1964. In September of this year he will succeed Dr. Walter H. Adams as academic dean of the college. Dr. Adams has served as dean of the college for 37 years.

Dr. Humble, 42, is married and has two teenage children, Eric and Rebecca.

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Services will be held weekdays at 7:30 p.m. Sunday services are at 10:40 a.m. and 6 p.m.

James Eddie Jay will be the song leader during the meeting.

ADULT S. S. CLASSES COMBINE

A special feature will be an illustrated lecture by Dr. Humble for the combined adult Bible classes during the regular 9:45 a.m. Sunday School hour. He will show slides of Bible lands. Visitors will be welcome for the lesson and will be free to leave after the showing or they may stay for the morning worship hour.

Dr. Humble has for years been a noted lecturer on the subject of archaeology and the Bible.

FELLOWSHIP DINNER

A fellowship dinner at the church will follow the morning worship Mar. 30. The dinner is for the members, their guests, and other visitors to the service.

Annual Spring Cemetery Cleanup To Start Apr. 1

Miss Lennie Greenway, treasurer of the Hamlin Cemetery Association, is announcing that the annual spring cleanup will begin Apr. 1.

In order for the cleanup to be successful, she is asking for the cooperation of all interested in the cemetery. Those who are delinquent should notify Miss Greenway if they prefer to do their own work.

Absentee Voting Deadline Tuesday

Tuesday, Apr. 1, is the last day for absentee voting in both city and school elections.

City alderman election will be held in City Hall and the school trustee election will be held in the lobby of Hamlin Junior High School Saturday, Apr. 5.

School Sets Week Off for Easter

The Easter vacation for Hamlin school students and teachers will be a full week, says Supt. C. F. Cook.

The holidays begin after classes Friday afternoon. Studies resume Monday morning, Apr. 7 at the regular times.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Craig and family visited in Abilene Saturday with her brother and family, Major and Mrs. E. D. Fincher and sons. Air Force Major Fincher just returned from a tour of duty in Southeast Asia.

Police Warn Merchants of Phoney Groups

Hamlin merchants were warned this week about a fake law enforcement organization soliciting advertisements by telephone. According to Chief of Police Bryan Wasson, the following names are being used: Auxiliary Police and Reserve, Law Officers Association of Texas, Texas Reserve Law Officers Publishing Co.

Chief Wasson said that these names should not be confused with Southwestern Law Magazine which is the official publication of the "Law Enforcement Officers Association of Texas."

The Hamlin Police Department will be featured in a forthcoming issue of the "Southwestern Law Magazine" and Euel White will be calling on local merchants representing the magazine, according to Chief Wasson.

Chief Wasson urged any merchant to contact him if they had any doubt or would like to ask any questions concerning this matter.

Ledbetter Sets New Record At C-City Meet

Ernest Ledbetter set a new meet record in the discus at the Colorado City Track Meet this past weekend with a 150'11" throw. The Pipers took fifth place with 26 points in the AA and AAA meet.

Track Coach Roger Moore said that this was the toughest meet the team had entered so far and that the boys gave their best performance of the season.

The team will compete in the two-day San Angelo meet this Friday and Saturday.

Other results in the Colorado City meet besides Ledbetter's first place were: Robert Bolden fourth in the 100 dash (9.9), James Asher fourth in the pole vault (10'6") and fourth in the 330 hurdles (42.5). The relay teams captured sixth with the 440 team of Bobby McKissack, Don Bockman, Asher and Bolden having a time of 46.0 and the mile relay team of Earl Webb, Asher, Charlie Sellers and Duane Stewart having a time of 3:44.6.

Mrs. Robert W. Burns of Dallas spent last week visiting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Hodnett. She also visited in the homes of Audrey and Wayne Hodnett of Hamlin and J. C. Hodnett and family in Winters, Texas.

What happens if a motorist fails to get his license plates in time? He still must obtain plates and at a 20 per cent increase in fee as a late penalty. If he should drive his vehicle without the new license plates, he can be fined up to \$200 for operating without current license plates.

Motorists may obtain license plates at county tax offices and sub-stations throughout Texas. State law requires each owner to register his vehicle in the county in which he resides and to present his title as evidence of ownership. Besides the vehicle title, motorists will need last year's registration receipt, current address and correct ZIP code to obtain license plates.

It is more important that the correct residence address appear on 1969 registration records. Texas motor vehicle registration records are being computerized. This will result in greater registration convenience next year.

In 1970, vehicle owners will be mailed a special pre-prepared registration form, which eliminates most of the time-consuming typing by the registration clerk. Motorists will need only to bring the form to the county tax office or registration station, pay the fee and have the form validated with new numbers.



PREPARING FOR FASHION SHOW -- Plans are being completed for the Jaycee-ette Spring Fashion Show and Salad Supper to be held today (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Mrs. James Crowley, right, in upper photo, and Mrs. Chester Jenkins at Heidenheimer's decide on a silver bow for the shoes Mrs. Crowley will be wearing with the blue ensemble Mrs. Jenkins holds. In the right photo, Mrs. Clifford Eoff is wearing the dress she will model for Frank's after she selected the accessories to complement the orange and white dress. Tickets for the event are being sold by the Jaycee-ettes and will be available at the door while they last. Other merchants taking part in the fashion showing are McDonald's, T&O Flowers, and The Fashion Shop. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and 75¢ for children under 12.

Vehicle Registration Deadline Tuesday

Vehicle registration in Hamlin is going somewhat normally, according to Louie Cunningham of McCollum-Cunningham Insurance Agency, who operates the local sub-station for the county. Only about half of the vehicles had been registered here with a week left before the deadline.

Cunningham said his office would not be open Saturday and that motorists have only four days left to get their license plates.

Motorists have until midnight next Tuesday (April 1) to get their license plates and get them on their vehicles. There can be no extension of the deadline since it is set by law, according to a Texas Highway Department spokesman.

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David Andrews Dies Wednesday, Services Pending

David C. Andrews, 57, an employee of the Celotex Corporation, died about 6:30 a.m. Wednesday. Suffering an apparent heart attack, Mr. Andrews died shortly after arriving at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Previously employed at the Longview quarry, he had been working in the Hamlin plant in the maintenance department for three years. He has worked for Celotex since Sept. 11, 1945.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys, a nurse at Holiday Lodge; three sons and one daughter. Details were not available at press time and funeral arrangements were pending at Hamlin Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Houghton and Kathy Joan were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell in Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Criswell at Lake Leon Lodge Sunday.



SWEEPSTAKES AT CISCO -- Earning a Division I rating in both concert and sight reading, the Hamlin Junior High School Band, under the direction of Tim Jones, won the sweepstakes honors at Cisco Junior High School band competition Friday. The event was held in the auditorium of Cisco Junior College. There are approximately 60 members in the junior high band.

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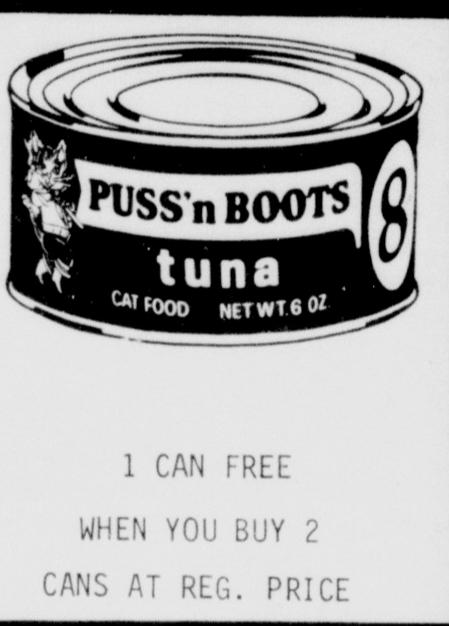
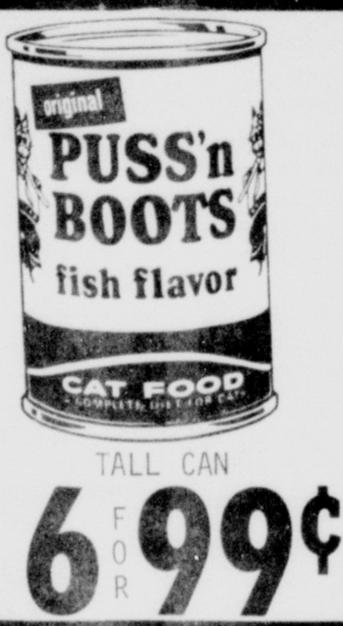
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Literary Club Hears Program On Education

Members of the Woman's Literary Club heard a program on education presented by three local teachers at the Friday afternoon meeting in the home of Mrs. A. A. Hackley.

Directed by Mrs. C. F. Cook, the teachers symposium featured Mrs. Leldon Clifton, second grade teacher; Miss Lola Milstead, sixth grade math teacher, and Mrs. Joe Youngblood, high school English teacher and librarian.

Mrs. Clifton pointed out characteristics of the six and seven year olds in the first and second grades. She used information from the book "These Are Your Children" as reference material and added that it is a very good guide on child development.

She said the six-year-old is eager to learn, restless and easily fatigued. "They are aggressive by nature, want to be first, want to be the leader, are less cooperative than at five and are given to boasting and bragging and are inconsistent in the level of maturity." "They have special needs," she added, "they need encouragement often, need ample praise and great patience from adults. They need some responsibilities, but only ones that won't require decisions."

The seven-year-olds are more sensitive to the feelings and attitudes of their peers and adults than the six-year-

olds," she continued. "They want adult approval."

The seven year old's special need is for the right combination of independence and encouraging support, she said.

She advocated setting the pattern early of getting homework before play.

Mrs. Clifton mentioned that the physical health should not be neglected noting that children should be encouraged to eat well-balanced meals and be urged to try new foods.

Plenty of rest was also emphasized.

Miss Milstead spoke of junior high school as being a land of change as the students were taking new subjects, having several teachers, and that they themselves were making physical and emotional changes.

She said they are great followers and were looking for leaders. "They have enthusiasm to let and this is a time for decision for them as they are now making their own choices of subjects."

Miss Milstead said that she believed that the junior high age youngsters' energies should be guided into something beneficial.

Mrs. Youngblood cited the needs for change in methods of teaching. She said, "We are not reaching the goal we are trying to reach. The methods of 10 years ago are not reaching the students. Teachers are continually changing teaching methods."

She said that the administration is aware of the need for new subjects — vocational subjects in our high schools. Students must be trained to make a living whether it be after college or upon graduation from high school. Their education has to be something they can use.

Of utmost importance to the student, Mrs. Youngblood noted is learning to work together effectively, and learning to live harmoniously with other people.

Mrs. L. H. McBride, president, presided.

The next meeting will be Apr. 11 in the home of Mrs. Cecil Hardaway. Mrs. R. D. Moore will conduct a quiz on Texas Motor Vehicle Laws. All members will take part.

Mr. and Mrs. Cipriano R. Almanza of Rotan are parents of a girl, Victoria Ramona, born Mar. 20 at 12:05 p.m. She weighed 8 lbs. 10 oz.

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Members also made decorations for the event.

Others present were Mmes. Charles Brumley, Eddie Connally, Jimmy Hale, Harvey Lawlis, Young Bill Maddox, Ewell Mackey, Earnie Reusch, Jody Ford, Bob Murff and Sam Mack Hodges.

The club president will attend the state convention in Galveston June 6-8.

Visitors were Mmes. O. G. Harvey, Monroe Tabb and Audrey Hodnett. Other members present were Mmes. E. W. Ueckert, S. C. Hollis, D. W. Stell, Ira Parker, Paul Goodgame, Ira Smith, E. W. Hewett, A. J. Winegarten, Earl Brown, Kenneth Riddle, Carl Green and B. V. Newberry.

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by Barbara Craig

THIS IS A RE-RUN

Because we made an error in printing Mrs. Revis Robertson's recipe last week we are running it again so that our readers will have a complete and correct recipe.

We hope our readers that tried the recipe were not disappointed with the cookies, but $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon sugar was just not right.

PEANUT BLOSSOMS

1 3-4 c. flour
1 t. soda
$\frac{1}{2}$ t. salt
$\frac{1}{2}$ c. sugar
$\frac{1}{2}$ c. firmly packed brown sugar
$\frac{1}{2}$ c. shortening
$\frac{1}{2}$ c. peanut butter
1 egg
2 T. milk
1 t. vanilla
48 milk chocolate candy kisses

Combine all ingredients except candy in large mixing

Homemaking Clothing Classes Set Style Show

Thursday afternoon at 3:15 the Homemaking clothing classes will present a style show for their mothers and guests.

The students will model the garments they have made. Those to model are: Marilyn Fudge, Cindy Bryant, Patricia Elkins, Jane Hymer, Connie Kinn, Jill Maberry, Linda Nichols, Reta Oliver, Ruby Robertson, Wendy Russell, Debbie Scarborough, Rhea Sue Vaughan, Kay Stepp, Carol Castle, Rubye Cooper, Merline Grice.

Also Debbie Hardaway, Sharon Hastings, Martha Hester, Jo Lynn Holdorf, Kathy Houghton, Debra Lee, Mary Rangel, Sylvia Rivera, Rosa Solis, Betty St. Clair, Jimmie Lou Bishop, Tara Colley, Jeanie Ferguson, Terrie Gregory, Ivie Harper, Shelley Holtz, Karen Jackson, Debbie Meyner, Cheryl Moffet, Maria Morales, and Lateese Williams.

Mrs. Bob Craig and Mrs. Cecil Hardaway will model garments made by their daughters.

Mrs. W. B. Cotten gave the program on Easter and gave the closing prayer.

Others present were Miss Eleanor Temple, Miss Faye Stice, Mrs. W. H. Kiser, Mrs. V. V. Anderson and Mrs. E. Mixon.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. H. Park on Apr. 28.

Date Changed

Mr. and Mrs. Park Wheat are announcing a change in the date of their daughter Nancy Sharon's marriage to AIC Robert S. Buchanan.

Wedding vows will be read April 5 in Neinda Baptist Church.

Mrs. Jeffrey Hosts Jaycee-ette Meet Thursday Evening

Mrs. Johnny Jeffrey was hostess for the Thursday evening meeting of the Hamlin Jaycee-ettes in the Jaycee Community Building.

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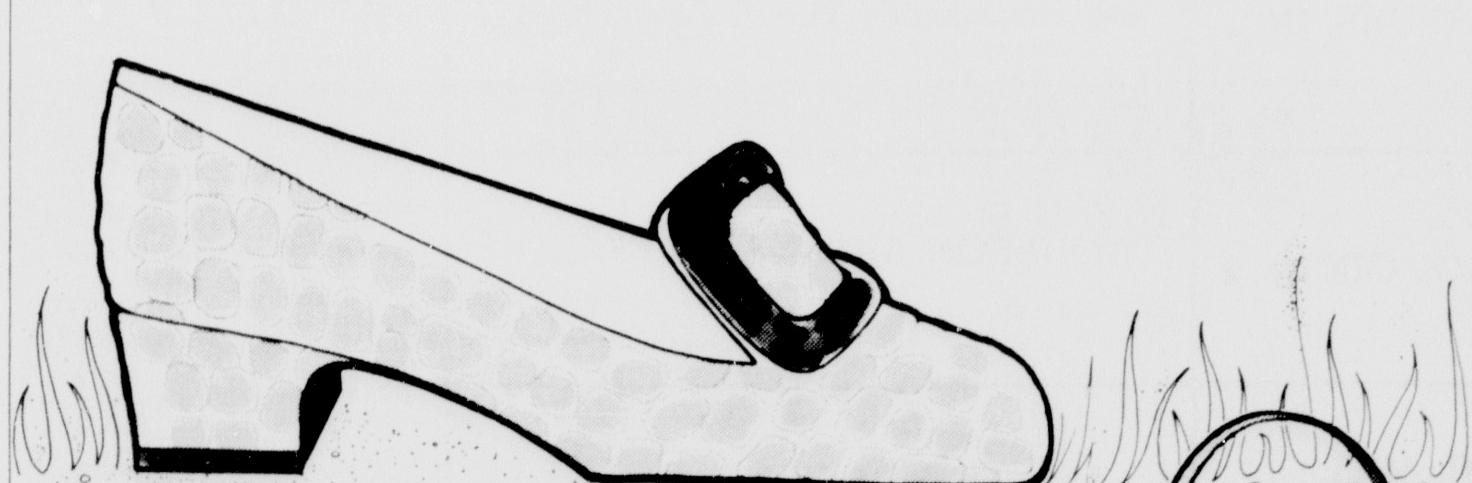
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MINNA MAE ROBERTS
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Minna Mae Roberts Graduates From LVN School Mar. 20

Minna Mae Roberts graduated from the Amarillo College School of Vocational Nursing Thursday evening. The school is affiliated with the Northwest Texas Hospital and Saint Anthony Hospital. She is employed with Saint Anthony Hospital.

Guests were received by Mrs. Bonds, the honoree, Mrs. E. J. Hawkins, mother of the prospective bridegroom; and Lou Ann Hawkins, of Richardson, sister of the prospective bride.

The table was covered with a cutwork linen cloth and centered with a spring bouquet in silver container. White tapers in silver candelabra and silver and crystal appointments completed the table decor.

The couple will be married April 2 in the First Baptist Church of Vineland, N.J. Both are students at Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Hostesses were Mmes. Bonds, Charles Westbrook of Abilene, Nelson Shave, Delton Jackson, Robert Fowler, Ken Riddle, M. L. Smith, E. D. Perrin, James Harrison, Barnie Cumbie, Carl Brown and C. L. Howard.

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FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
(March 14, 1924)

It will be interesting to know that near Hamlin, next week there will appear many prominent men of West Texas and with them will be a herd of Wolf Dogs, the like this country has never seen before.

C. S. Low, manager of the meet, wants it understood that this is not to be a 'rough bunch' but a crowd of good men who are striving to clear the country of wolves. Low says there will not be anything strong to drink except gyp water. In case of snake bites Low will furnish all medicine.

There is no use in anyone going hungry in Hamlin these days. Hamlin has some of the best cafes in the state for the size town. The latest place of eating is FRY'S CAFE that opens up this Saturday.

Mrs. G. N. Davenport was hostess to the Twentieth Century Bridge Club. In a close series of games, Mrs. North held high score. Others present were Mrs. Bynum, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. North, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Louie Hardy and Mrs. B. Moseley.

The Woman's Literary Club of Hamlin will hold an Art Exhibit, featuring the Guering Prints on Saturday afternoon, at the Morgan House.

The American Legion, under the direction of Post Commander Clem Calhoun, held its regular meeting Monday night. The meeting could clearly be defined as one of accomplishment and progress. Splendid musical numbers were rendered through courtesy of Mrs. Neff and the High School Orchestra. Several readings of merit were given by our local talent.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
(March 11, 1949)

Hamlin area farmers and others are closely watching the trend of prices as new turns in national and world conditions are affecting the markets of the country.

Farm prices flattened out in January after dropping 13 per cent from record levels during the latter part of 1948.

Three men from the Hamlin area are included in the number of registrants who signed up for military draft during the past month, it was reported last week. They are James E. Lewis, McCaulley; Glen R. Blake, Sylvester, and Charles Wesley Campbell, Hamlin.

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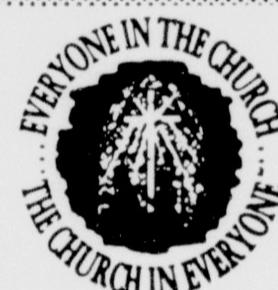
If you were having a picnic at the lake at approximately this spot, you might say, "Well, why did the engineers leave those trees in the water when they made this lake? They create such an eyesore. I can see no purpose in it." Yet, fishermen tell us that the fish love those old tree stumps and roots and that you can almost always find fish swimming in the dark recesses around and between these trees.

So many times we question God's wisdom in allowing some things to be and other things to come to pass. But God is good and his purposes are wise. The very thing that seems useless to us, might make us marvel if we could see with Heaven's eyes.

As Isaiah reminds us, "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts."

But he also wants us to know that his thoughts are many toward us and that everything works toward our good and our salvation. If we had no conflicts, and no questions, we would never have the opportunity to step out on faith.

Come to church Sunday and learn of God, his purposes, and the unsearchable riches of his love.



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Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
M. Y. F. 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Sessions for Children Grades 1 thru 6 4 p.m.
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Max L. Brown

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Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.
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Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Prayer Services 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Aubrey Edwards

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SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

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Ave. C at 6th

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

Baptist Mexican Mission

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Worship Service 10:40 a.m.
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Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

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S. W. 1st at Avenue C

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

N. Y. P. S. 5:30 p.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Vincent Nally

Aspermont Highway

SUNDAY

Mass 8 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

Services 7:30 p.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Carl Pool

113 S. W. Avenue D

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.

Crusader Hour 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY

Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church

Rev. Gerrie Hensley, pastor

N. W. Avenue G at 5th

SUNDAY

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Song, Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

24 S. E. 9th

Rev. A. D. Stewart

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

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Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

B. T. U. 6 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

NEWS FROM . . .

Sylvester

By MRS. R. M. BABB

We had a nice easy shower Saturday night with .55 inches of rain but we have a beautiful cool sunny morning on this Monday morning.

Mr. M. L. Howard spent several days in Hamlin hospital this past week.

Mrs. Thurman Douglas

spent some time in Hamlin hospital under going tests.

Guests in the Woodrow Lawlis home over the weekend were the Harold Johnson family of Duncanville.

Ross Douglass injured his ankle a few days ago and spent a few days in the hospital.

While he couldn't work he and Lenora drove to El Campo and had a nice visit with their son and his family, the Gary Douglasses. Ross got to fish while he was there.

Mrs. Milton Montgomery is home doing pretty good. She visited in Abilene with her daughter, Johnny Ruth Sharp.

Rev. Don Forrester will be one of the 52 young people from H-SU that will hold Revivals in Indiana this next week. The other two people of the team visited in the Baptist Church Sunday. They were Tim Leech of Abilene and Tresa Chambliss of Wichita Falls.

2nd Lt. and Mrs. Lee Lanning are visiting and enjoying being with their parents for a few weeks before he leaves for a year in Vietnam. I am sure the Jim Lannings here are delighted having them home. They are also spending time in Roby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Moore.

Mrs. Hugh Hood spent a week in Odessa with her son's family, the Tommy Hoods. Tommy and Pat's baby had to have surgery but is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ford drove to Sweetwater Sunday afternoon and visited with Mrs. R. A. Boyd who is very ill in the Holiday Retirement Center. Mrs. Boyd lived for many years in the Newman Community.

Contributions from the Christmas Seal Campaign in Jones County towns totaled \$1,741.68 with Stamford leading the giving with \$687.88. Other towns contributed as follows: Hamlin, \$568.30; Anson, \$315.00; Hawley, \$59.00; Lueders, \$57.00; and Avoca, \$54.50.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons of Minnesota stopped and spent the night in the Richard Green home on their way to Van Horn and other points west.

Report Given On Christmas Seals

At the Stamford meeting of the Jones County Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association a report of the past year's work was given and plans were made for an area organization.

Mrs. W. W. Wallace of

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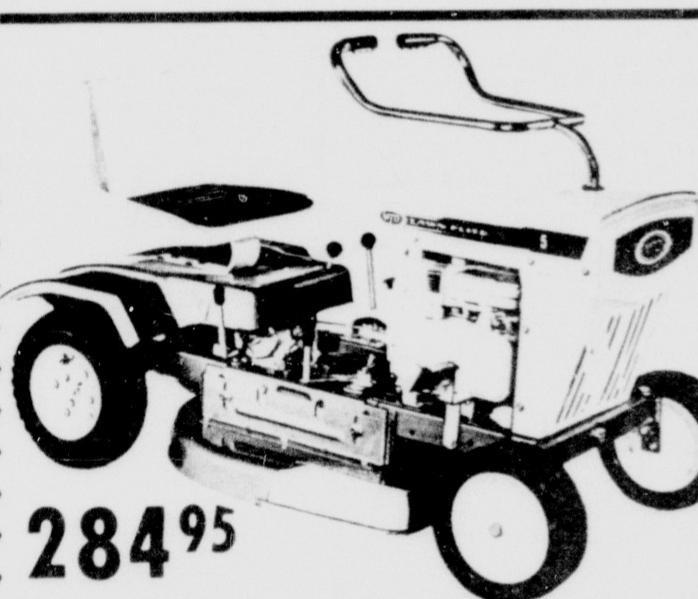


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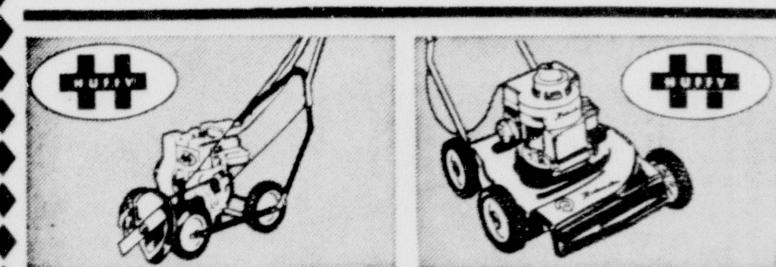


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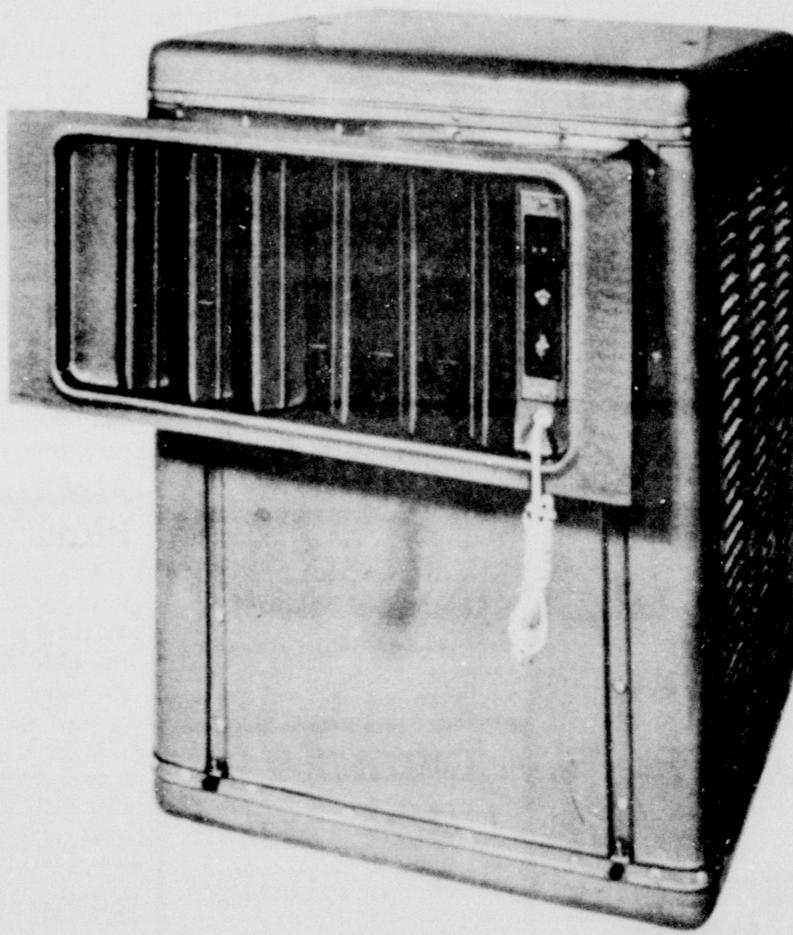
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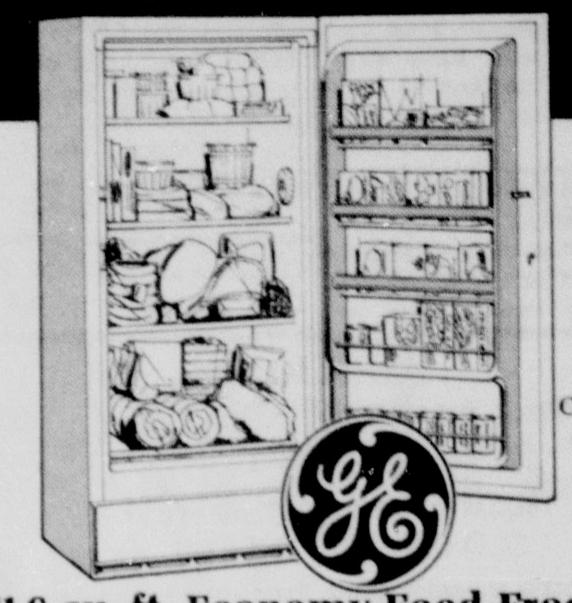
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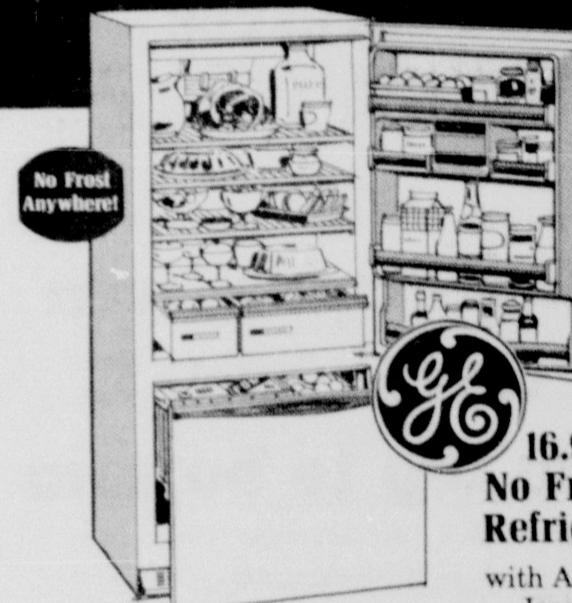
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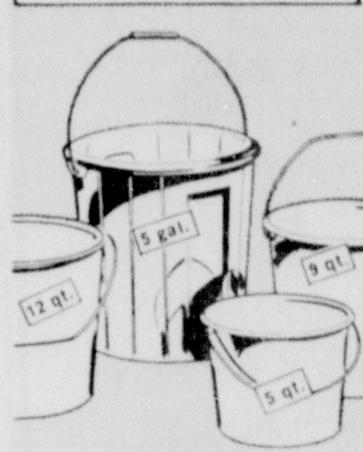
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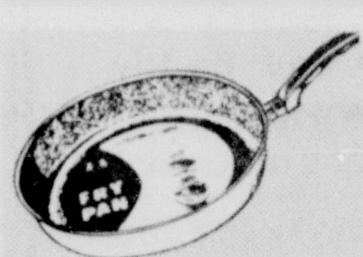


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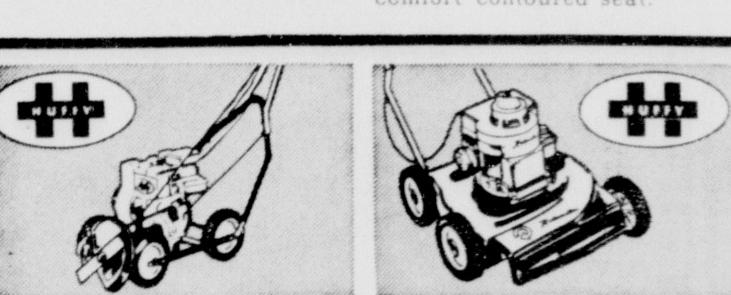


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Card of Thanks A-1

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Thanks to each of you who contributed food and money in our time of need. May God bless all of you.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Jordan

CARD OF THANKS

We are thankful beyond words for all our good friends who helped us so much during our recent sadness. May we humbly say thank you for your comfort and love, the flowers and food, and other kindnesses shown us during our sorrow.

The family of Felton West

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each of the nurses, sitters, and the doctors for being so kind and nice to my wife, Viola, while she was in the hospital. Also a special thanks to the visitors.

B. C. May

CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful beyond measure for all of our good friends who helped us so much during our recent sadness. May we

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Lost & Found A-2

Wanted to Buy J-1

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Neinda Philosopher Tries His Hand At Keeping Daily Log Of His Work For One Day Only

Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One reports on a strange item he discovered out of Washington. Dear editor:

People are always talking about all the rules and regulations Washington is always thinking up for people, so it was with considerable amazement I read in a newspaper last night that Washington has thought up some for itself.

The Attorney General's Department, out of force of habit I guess, has come up with a set of rules for the 1,200 lawyers it has in the Justice Department. Every lawyer must keep a log every fifteen minutes of every day of how he spent his time. What he did from 9 a.m. to 9:15 has to be entered, from 9:15 to 9:30, etc., right on through the entire day, five days a week.

What I want to know is, do you reckon there's any danger of this spreading?

Are we getting close to the time when Washington will require me for an example to give a daily account of how I spent my time from sun-up to sun-down?

Since you never can tell and I like to be ahead of the hounds, so to speak, so long as the hounds are asleep, I decided to jot down what I did yesterday, just to see how it works.

6 a.m. to 6:30: studied about getting up.

6:40: got up.

7 to 7:30: waited for breakfast.

7:30 to 8: ate.

8 to 9: planned my day's work.

9 to 10: revised my plans.

10 to 11: can't remember.

11 to 12: too near lunch to

GOALS

Glyn Hammons Named Assistant S. S. Director

Glyn Hammons became the new assistant district manager for the Social Security Administration's Abilene district on March 24, according to word from R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager. He fills the position vacancy caused by the December 1968 death of Ralph T. Fisher.

Hammons was promoted to this larger district from a five year tenure as assistant district manager at El Dorado, Arkansas. He had previous service in the Dallas, Santa Fe, and Tulsa districts, prior to his El Dorado assignment.

Aged 31, he is married and has three children, and was very active in church, civic, school, and recreational affairs at El Dorado. The family will reside at 1526 Marsalis Street in Abilene.

He expects to start his get-acquainted tasks in the area by accompanying field representatives from the Abilene office to some nineteen towns in the district as opportunities present themselves.

All interested home owners are invited to attend.

Ex-Students Set Talent Show Date

Mrs. Robert Fowler, president of the ex-students association, has announced plans for a talent show to be presented April 8 at the Rogue Theatre.

Anyone interested in entering the event may register at Reynolds Drug.

Tickets will be \$1 for adults,

75¢ for teenagers and 50¢ for children.

McCaulley Church Plans Services

Pre-Easter services will be held at McCaulley United Methodist Church Mar. 31

through Apr. 4 at 7 o'clock

each evening, according to the pastor, Rev. Aubrey Edwards.

A different preacher will be featured each evening. There will be a fellowship following services. Everyone is invited.

Bridge Winners

Hamlin Duplicate Bridge Club met Tuesday night at the Jaycee Community Building for a special Club Tournament or a Special Club Tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albritton

were first place winners and

there was a tie for second and

third between Mrs. Harry Yates and Grady Bowdry, both of Stamford, and

Mrs. Floyd Briscoe and Mrs.

Preston Morrow of Rotan.

start anything now.

12 to 12:30: ate.

12:30 to 1:30: nap.

1:30 to 3:30: went to town

to get a tractor part.

3:30 to 4: discovered it didn't

fit.

4 to 4:40: finally decided to

try again tomorrow.

4:40 to 5: a man can't work

all the time. Rested.

5 to 6: watched television's

J. A.

summary of the embattled

world, got back to normal

with a copy of the Herald.

6: threw the log away.

This is not to say however

that those 1,200 lawyers

shouldn't keep it up. Any time

spent checking on themselves

is that much less time spent

checking on you and me



TO AMARILLO TODAY -- Junior members of the Hamlin High School Student Council are to leave today for the state convention of Texas Student Councils to be held in Amarillo through Saturday. The students, left to right, are Peggy Jones, Marcia Steele, Gary Smith, and Bill Hodnett. They will be accompanied by Milburn Wink, left, sponsor.

Bryant Conner Named Manager

Bryant Conner has been named manager of the Rogue Theatre in Hamlin and the Rotan Theatre, according to the owners, Mrs. Ed Green and Son. Conner was employed by the Ferguson Theatre here for many years.

HAD COMPANY? That's news... Call the HERALD.

Hamlin High Happenings

Piper Patter

Beth Craig
Patty Cowan
Mary Wallace
Students at H. H. S. are

anxious for this week to end as all students will have a week long Easter vacation. All good things will come to an end though as six week tests begin when students return.

hhs

The Hamlin Chapter of Future Homemakers of America is joining with other chapters around the world in celebrating National FFA week. The FFA officers wore their red and white uniforms Monday to begin the week. Other activities planned by the chapter are a faculty breakfast and the school devotionsals.

hhs

The Senior class had a very successful Service Station Day at Burt Oliver's Fina Station Saturday. Seniors washed, filled and fixed flats for their customer's cars.

The Hamlin golf team participated in the district meet at Sweetwater Monday.

hhs

The homemaking classes will have a style show Thursday at 3 pm. to model the garments they have made this semester. The public is invited.

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Four representatives of the student council will attend the state convention of the Texas Association of Student Councils in Amarillo this weekend. Marcia Steele, Peggy Jones, Gary Smith, and Bill Hodnett will be accompanied by Mr. Milburn Wink.

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Four FFA Chapter Judging Teams Enter Contest

The Hamlin FFA Chapter has entered four teams in the Sweetwater Judging Contests Saturday and two in the ACC Judging contests Monday in Abilene.

Dairy cattle, meats, land and cotton classing teams are entered in the Sweetwater contests and livestock and land teams are entered at ACC.

Last Friday Don Bockman, Bob McKissack, Charlie Sellers, Steve Teichelman and Earl Webb judged in the Angelo State College Livestock Judging Contest. Bockman was the high individual in Swine judging. He topped over 150 other judges in scoring a perfect score on the swine classes.

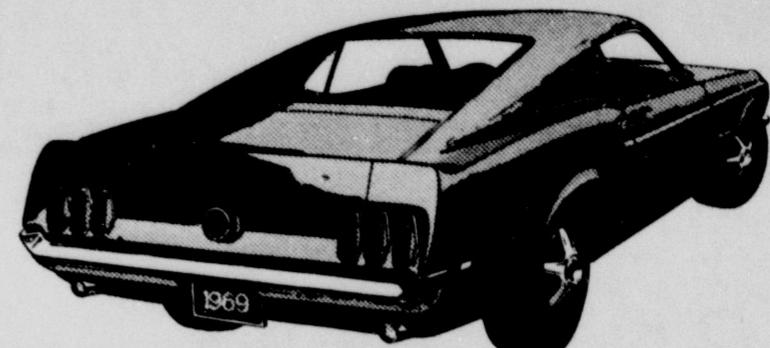
was medalist with a score of 73 and Scotty Higgins of Merkell was second medalist with a 76.

First and second place teams and the two medalists will advance to regional play at Lubbock.

Merkel was fourth with 345, Stamford "B" was fifth at 352, Coleman, sixth, at 356, Haskell had 382, Anson, 384 and Winters 405.

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By January 1, 1969, those 14 gins had wrapped bagging and ties around 67,279 bales of 1968 cotton, and had separated from the lint about 22,500 tons of cottonseed.

The cotton was sold for about \$100 per bale; the seed, for \$50 per ton. Total sales value — \$7,852,900.

But the farmer didn't keep the money — he spent it. Ginning costs alone averaged about \$19 per bale, or \$1,278,000. And before that, the farmer had plowed and planted and cultivated the 65,000 acres of land from which the seed cotton was harvested. He needed — and bought — equipment, seed, herbicide and labor. He needed insurance and financing, gasoline and tires, food and clothing and shelter. According to researchers at the University of Texas, over 90 cents of every dollar of sales value had been spent for direct inputs or cost of production before the crop was harvested.

And, then the seed was processed — gins sold to oil mills, and used the \$5 to \$7 margin per ton (another \$140,000) to reduce the cost of ginning, and of course, to make a little profit. The cotton was hauled, warehoused, and compressed for shipment. Here again was a margin to cover labor and investment, and of course, to make a little profit.

The \$7.8 million became \$8 million, and was spent, and spent again. Each dollar of new money was used 2.5

times before the cotton left Jones County. The \$8 million soon grew to \$20 million, a tremendous sum of money.

What would we do without it? How could we pay the taxes, and feed the poor, and hire the unemployed, and educate the young'uns?

Don't kid yourself — we couldn't.

Moral: We have a good thing going. Support your local cotton industry! Buy cotton — talk cotton — join Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, and encourage your neighbor to join!

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Tom Nelson of the Texas Educational Agency in Austin briefed area school personnel on the Composite Report covering Title I, Title II, Title III and Title IV. The official evaluation forms for these programs will be used in future planning for state and community needs as well as evaluating the programs.

Call your news to the Herald.

**S. B. Alexander,
McCaulley, Dies
Here March 19**

Stephen Bennett Alexander, 91, a longtime resident of McCaulley, died at 12:40 p.m. Wednesday at Hamlin Memorial Hospital after a six weeks illness.

A retired farmer and rancher, Mr. Alexander was a member of the Church of Christ. He had lived in McCaulley since 1920.

Graveside rites were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Longworth Cemetery by Harold Bonner, an elder of Hamlin Church of Christ.

Born Jan. 27, 1878, in Lampasas County, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Alexander. He was married to Martha L. Lytle in Taylor County Jan. 4, 1903.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Norman of West Covina, Calif.; four daughters, Mrs. Henry (Elma) Griffin of Fritch, Tex., Mrs. Ross (Vida) Simonds of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Alfred H. (Sybil) Winkels of Anson, Mrs. Ted (Geneva) Jennings of Houston; two half sisters, Mrs. Emma Jacobs, Mrs. Susie Moody, both of Abilene; 17 grandchildren and 35 great grandchildren.

**Funeral Services
For John Clay, 85.
Held Saturday**

Services were held here Saturday at First United Methodist Church for John Atlas Clay, 85, a resident of Hamlin since 1928. He died at 2:35 a.m. Thursday at Hamlin Memorial Hospital after a week's illness.

Services were conducted by Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, and Rev. Cecil Hardaway, pastor.

Born Aug. 3, 1883, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Clay of Manchester,

Tenn.

A retired coal miner, he moved to Texas in 1891, and moved to Hamlin in 1928 from Thurber.

He belonged to Knights of Pythias.

Survivors include one brother, S. F. Clay of Hamlin; one sister, Mrs. Willie Bowman of Hamlin and one step-sister, Addie Swinney of California.

Burial was in Hamlin East Cemetery.

Nephews were pallbearers.

Misses Francis and Mary Edmonds of Anson were super guests of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Hodnett Monday night.

**Pete Flores Nunez
Funeral Services
Held Here Sunday**

He was a laborer and a member of the Holy Trinity Catholic Church. He was married to Margarita Sanchez in Abilene Sept. 16, 1949.

Survivors include his wife; seven son, Paul of California; Richard of Dimmit, John of Ft. Sill, Okla., Thomas and Doroteo, both of Lubbock, Ray of Germany, and Rolando of Sweetwater; three daughters, Mrs. Asuncion Gonzales, Mrs. Manuel (Mary) Castillo, and Mrs. Lionel (Rosa) Gonzales, all of Hamlin; and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Hamlin East Cemetery.

**Two Teachers
Attend National
Meet In Dallas**

Mrs. L. E. Prewit and Miss Maggie Seymour, Hamlin elementary school teachers, attended the 17th annual national convention of the National Science Teachers Association in Dallas Mar. 21-25.

More than 6,000 science educators from the United

States, Canada, and Latin America participated in the convention that had as its theme "Horizons for the 70's in Science Education."

General and special assemblies were held on current topics as drug abuse education, and moral and ethical problems posed by science and technology.

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